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PRESBYTERIAN LEGIONS

Everything Now Ready For the Church Assembly.

Three Subjects to Engross General Attention—Only the Galleries to Be Open to the Public—Southern Baptists Have a Lively Debate Over Foreign Missions.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Many of the delegates to the coming general assembly of the Presbyterian church have arrived, and each incoming train brings dozens of them. Already the streets of the capital show that some big church event is on the tapis, and ministers and laymen of all ages and sizes are seen at many points. Arrangements for the conference have been practically completed. What still remains to be done, however, was discussed in the morning at the Ebbitt House by Dr. Bartlett, Dr. Roberts and the ruling elders of the New York Avenue Presbyterian church. There are several important matters to be considered, such as the evening that are to be devoted to the various special purposes, home missions, foreign missions, church erection, temperance, Sunday school work and affairs of that sort. It is customary for each of the special objects to claim a certain evening for its meeting during the course of the assembly, and it is not likely that the committee will make any marked departures from the established rule.

Everybody Cannot Attend. Inasmuch as the general public will be admitted only to the galleries, it will be impossible for a very large number of outsiders to attend the sessions of the conference. The entire main floor of the auditorium is to be reserved for the delegates. Opportunity will be given the public to hear and see the notable men during the evenings, when popular meetings will be held.

Three subjects will engross the attention of the assembly. These are the report of the committee on seminaries, the appeal of the committee which unsuccessfully prosecuted Professor Briggs from the action of the New York presbytery and the revision of the confession of faith. A partial poll has been made of the ministers of the church, from the results of which it is the belief of many that the question of revision will be relegated to the background for the present, and that therefore the Briggs case will be the most important and interesting topic of consideration. This latter case has been brought so prominently before the public that the outcome will be watched with intense interest everywhere.

Southern Baptists Adjourn. NASHVILLE, May 17.—The Southern Baptist convention has adjourned sine die. Before adjournment Dr. Boatwright presented a report that the convention's missionaries in north China had withdrawn from the foreign mission board's support and started on a new enterprise for themselves. This report threw the convention into much disorder and a lengthy discussion followed. Dr. Ford of Missouri expressed opposition to the board, saying he could not understand how the board sitting at Richmond could dictate the manner of work to missionaries who had spent the greater part of their life in the work. Dr. H. H. Harris, president of the board, said there had been too much publicity. It was only a difference of opinion. The board had not been tyrannical nor overreached its prerogative. Dr. A. E. Owen of Virginia said the convention had appointed boards to manage its affairs, and if others did not agree in their actions all they could say was to depart in peace. Dr. A. C. Packard of Louisville said the rupture had reached the churches and they were becoming separated. The matter should be settled. Colonel J. A. Hoyte offered a resolution instructing the board to not accede to the missionaries' demands, and it was adopted.

IMMIGRATION SOUTHWARD.

Some of the Difficulties Enumerated by Mr. H. C. Hilken.

BALTIMORE, May 17.—Mr. H. C. Hilken, of A. Schumacher & Co., agents of the North American Lloyd Steamship company, speaking of the recommendation of the governors' convention at Richmond in relation to the best methods of turning the tide of immigration southward, says: "It will be difficult to divert the current of the former immigrants from its present channels, as these people, as a rule, do not leave their homes in Germany and elsewhere unless they are sure of bettering their condition, and in this connection they will act on the advice of pioneer settlers, well known to them."

"Immigration to the United States is largest after a bountiful crop in this country. In other words, immigrants come if their friends have been prosperous. There are, however, new settlers in western states of our country who might be prevailed upon to come south if sufficient inducements are offered them to change location. These people are to be found in sections where crops have failed owing to drought, vermin or long and severe winters. If such people are once settled in the south and meet with success they will form colonies, which soon attract a desirable class of immigrants from Europe."

Judge Twigg Married. CHATTANOOGA, May 17.—Judge H. D. Twigg of Augusta, Ga., who recently secured a divorce at Sioux Falls, S. D., from Lucie E. Twigg, a leading society woman of Augusta and a relative of Senator Gordon, arrived in Chattanooga and was immediately married at the Stanton House to Mrs. Cornelia E. Harrison, a charming young widow of Charleston, S. C. She has been living at the Stanton House, awaiting the granting of the divorce to Judge Twigg. The judge is fully 30 years the senior of Mrs. Harrison.

Diablo Won the Handicap. NEW YORK, May 16.—Amidst a deep oppressive silence Diablo, the aged son of Bolus and Grace Darling, won the rich Brooklyn handicap at Gravesend in the presence of 30,000 persons.



Mrs. Grover Cleveland

THEY SAY.

Something will drop this week. L. C. Moore succeeded J. E. Bruce.

The colored democratic organization is getting there. The boys are being cared for handsomely.

Secretary Hoke Smith means to recognize the boys who work.

Good men must be recommended.

After election democrats are in the soup.

R. K. Washington has applied to the colored democratic organization for an endorsement.

Washington was a wide mouth and he can demonstrate it in a campaign.

The Capital Saving Bank and the Industrial Building Association are meeting with success.

The genial Henry E. Baker was very selfish in his matrimonial life.

Henry always was a quiet man in all things.

He never makes a noise when he does anything.

She is an accomplished little lady.

They both have the congratulations of the Bee.

C. H. J. Taylor is in it to stay. His plum will be satisfactory to his large following.

The barking dogs will not disturb the Kansas leader.

Watch your friend and not your enemies.

Your enemies do not need watching. Look out for self first and friends afterwards.

Never desert your friends. Be kind to those who befriend you.

What is in a name?

A good man never deserts a friend in a storm.

It is the honest man who will befriend you.

Don't despair, the darkest hour is just before the break of day.

A good friend will suffer pain for you.

He is a friend indeed and should never be unkindly treated.

Astwood is one of the most accomplished diploma's in this country.

His record stands a number one in the department of State.

There is only one way to succeed and that is to be united.

The Bee is the Pilot of the people and a Colored American.

Always be on the alert.

The negroes are so divided in politics that they will not be a unit again.

Party issues will soon die out on the negro question.

He is fast becoming a man and a citizen.

He is fast learning how to act and think for himself.

There was a time when others did his thinking.

This is an age of progress.

Support the Capital Saving Bank.

It is a reliable institution.

It is a success and it has been made so through good management.

The directors are all reliable and honest men.

Such enterprises will make the race great and powerful.

Money and education are the powers that win.

Have you read the Bee?

You can rely on everything you see in it.

The Young Men's Christian Association will become a power.

The race will be responsible for the non support which the Hyman Bros. received in their store.

There is no reason why the store should not have been supported.

They demonstrated ability and energy.

MUST WORK.

A DANGEROUS CIRCULAR.

From the Crusader.

"Notice is hereby given to all Negroes of this town, who have no regular employment, to be regularly employed or get out, and to all who occupy houses on Front street, as the Weiss and Wilson houses, to get out a day back to home-father from the business part of town. Further, they shall not locate, as heretofore, about stores and the sidewalks and obstruct the passing of people on business, particularly ladies. Attend to your business and go about your business. The Hon. Frank Ott is requested to read this to whom it may concern." There was no signature. The result is that the colored people of Osgood have since then complied and have removed the rear of the town. This unfortunate truly so to be colored in this free country.

APRONS FOR YOUNG GIRLS AND CHILDREN.

Apron of pompadour foulard. The lower edge of the apron is trimmed with a flounce of white lace, on above which is posed a red galoon embroidered with white. This same galoon trims the little pockets, cut in and garnished with lace. The apron is surrounded with galoon terminating in a point with lace.

An apron of ecru silk, surrounded and trimmed with ruffles of blue ribbon. Pleated bib, bordered and knotted with blue ribbons.

Apron of batiste or foulard, jardiniere design, upon deep cream. The point of foulard makes the lower edge of the apron, and the cut border ornaments the belt and the bib, also the pocket. Rosettes and knots of cherry stain ribbon.

Apron of Oriental tissue, cashmere design, trimmed with Russian points, red and gold. A fringe of silk cashmere is arranged at the lower edge and up the middle of the apron. Silk cashmere cord.

Apron of very pale turquoise surah, seamed with orange. An orange and turquoise galoon surrounds the apron and forms belt and bib. Ribbon rosettes of orange satin upon the shoulders. Berthe and sleeves of black lace.

Apron of foulard or old rose surah, trimmed with a flounce of black lace gathered in clusters and plain galoon, with flaps embroidered with red beads and ornamented with knots of rose-colored satin ribbon. Knotted belt of rosettes.

Apron of mauve surah, trimmed with ruffles of black lace. Light mauve ribbon, in rosettes, is arranged on the corsage belt.

TO PHILADELPHIA VIA ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Because of its largely increased and greatly improved passenger terminals at Philadelphia, the Royal Blue Line should be a more popular route to and from that city than ever. Commencing May 14th all the New York trains of the Blue Line, excepting the Limited, leaving Washington at 10:00 a. m., will enter the n. w. terminal station of the Reading Railroad at Twelfth and Market streets, Philadelphia. All these trains, with the exception noted above, will also stop at Spring Garden street and at Ninth and Columbia avenue stations. All the Royal Blue Line trains will make the stop at Twenty-fourth and Chestnut streets, as heretofore.

The President has appointed Kerr Craig, of North Carolina, to be Third Assistant Postmaster General, vice A. D. Hazen, of Pennsylvania, resigned.

An international billiard match, between Frank C. Ives, champion of America, and John Roberts, champion of England, will take place in London. A treaty of commerce has been concluded between Spain and Germany.

Rear Admiral Gherardi will take charge of the Brooklyn Navy Yard next week.

An American schooner was seized by a Canadian cutter off Magdalen Islands for alleged violation of the fisheries laws.

Bishop College, Lennoxville, Ont., at its centennial convocation will confer the degree of D. C. L. on Bishop Potter and the Governor General of Canada.

A desperate attempt on the part of fifteen life convicts to break jail at Frankfort, Ky., was nipped in the bud by the warden and part of the gang are under arrest.

Compromise negotiations have failed to settle the Kansas coal strike. Within ten days every coal shaft in the Southwest, with the exception of Arkansas, will be idle.

Over \$15,000 worth of finely bred horses in the neighborhood of Lancaster, Ky., have died in the past two weeks of an unknown disease, which proves fatal in a few minutes.

Lloyd Aspinwall, a well-known man of New York, of high social standing, has been sued for a \$1,000 butcher's bill and is in contempt of court. He said he only had 50 cents in the bank.

A train of cars on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad loaded with oil took fire while standing on a bridge near Johnstown, Pa. Three cars of oil and the bridge were entirely destroyed. Loss \$15,000.

Captain Henry Bartlett, one of the youngest of the captains of the Newfoundland sealing fleet, will be the successor of Captain Pike, who recently died, and take the Peary party to North Greenland.

The plan for the refunding of the Northern Pacific is leaking out. A note issue of \$15,000,000 is to be made, backed by a New York Trust Company, and secured by stock deposits. The scheme is an anti-Villard move.

The World's Fair National Commissioners adopted the minority report of the Judiciary Committee favoring the opening of the Fair on Sunday. It is believed the local directory will open the Fair Sundays unless prevented by the courts.

Ex-Minister to Hawaii, Mr. John L. Stevens, has written a letter to a New York newspaper defending the action of himself and Commander Wiltse in ordering the Boston's men ashore and also explaining the reasons why the United States should annex Hawaii.

The notorious Mrs. Wallingford, whose career in Washington after the war made her famous as the Big Casino, now living in New York, has succeeded in swindling young Dr. Frank E. Buffan, whom she persuaded to marry her and on whom she pinned off a bogus child as her own. Dr. Buffan has brought suit to have the marriage annulled.

In Financial Trouble.

The Elmira National Bank closed its doors Tuesday morning. The bank's failure is the result of the recent financial troubles of Col. D. C. Robinson. The deposits in the bank amount to about \$200,000 and will be paid in full. The suspension of the bank caused a big run on the Elmira Savings Bank, but all demands were promptly met.

The big toy firm of Ives, Blakeslee & Williams, in New York city, with branch stores at Bridgeport, Conn., Elkland, Pa., and Chicago, Ill., has gone into the hands of a receiver. The liabilities are \$261,845, and assets \$70,298.

The National Bank of Deposit in New York city was forced to suspend and is now in possession of the Comptroller of the Currency.

The Exchange Bank of Tingley, Iowa, has suspended, and the cashier, Robert Bennett, has left for parts unknown. The cash has also disappeared. Deposits were received up to the day of closing.

Farnham Post to Appeal.

The officers of the Noah L. Farnham Post in New York, the local organization of the Grand Army of the Republic, which was expelled from the G. A. R. on account of the expressions of its members on pension matters, said that the cause they would pursue would probably be to appeal first of all to the National Organization, in order to get a hearing at the next Grand Encampment. Their ulterior purpose seems to be to force the National Organization to take some definite action on the question of pensions and the present system of spreading them, and thus compel from Grand Army men an official expression of opinion on that subject.

Sunday at the Great Fair.

The officers of the Chicago Fair were not opened last Sunday as was expected. It daily becomes more evident that the gates will not be opened on Sunday with the sanction of the National Commission, and if it is done without their approval a bitter legal contest is certain. U. S. District Attorney Olney has authorized proceedings for the recovery of the Government loan of \$2,500,000 in case the Sunday opening takes place. There is great agitation among workingmen in Chicago in favor of Sunday opening.

THIS WEEK'S NEWS.

A Summary of Current Events—The World's Doings for the Past Six Days Gathered and Condensed for Our Readers.

General.

Major Le Caron, the noted British spy, is lying dangerously ill in London.

A. A. McLeod has resigned from the presidency of the Boston & Maine Railroad.

For the fun of assaulting Lawyer M. L. Luzzette of Biddleford, Me., Fugillist Sullivan paid \$1,200.

John L. Sullivan, ex-pugilist, has brought suit against his publisher, James H. Hearn, for an accounting.

May 29, for a purse of \$2,500. English billiards will be used, the spot and push strokes being barred.

Joe Jefferson, who has been suffering with an abscess, is slowly recovering. There is some alarm about his condition.

Frank J. Lenton, a young farmer, at Bristol, Pa., was attacked by a vicious 5-year-old stallion, and badly trampled and injured.

M. Arton, the Panama lobbyist, was sentenced to twenty years penal servitude for frauds in connection with the canal company.

A movement was started at Washington to nominate ex-President Morton for Governor of New York in 1894, and for President in 1896.

The steamer Donna Castle, which arrived in Philadelphia, reports meeting an iceberg that, by actual measurement, stood 800 feet out of the water.

Benjamin Franklin Carver, a well-known club man of New York, committed suicide by jumping from the fifth story of a hotel on Fifth avenue.

After being in operation 41 years and turning out \$30,000,000 worth of pig iron, the Pioneer furnace of Negaunee, Mich., the oldest in the Lake Superior district, has shut down.

The Empire State Express, on the Central road, broke the record for long distance fast running, going from Syracuse to Buffalo, a distance of 146 miles, in 121 minutes.

Rev. Dr. Sunderland of the First Presbyterian Church, Washington, where President and Mrs. Cleveland attend, created a sensation Sunday by a vigorous attack on Prof. Briggs.

The Princess Eulalie, sister of the late King Alfonso, of Spain, who is to represent Spain officially at the World's Fair, arrived in New York on the Spanish steamer from Cuba Friday.

The German Government has issued a denial of the report that the Emperor William would take advantage of his position as supreme commander to issue a manifesto on the army bill.

Secretary of War Lamont says the War Department will interfere to prevent the construction of the trolley road at Gettysburg which it is claimed is destroying some of the most interesting features.

At a meeting of leading Populists of Northwestern Kansas at Oberlin resolutions were adopted favoring building a railroad from the Dakotas to Galveston, to be owned by the States passed through.

The entire floating debt on Dr. Talmage's Brooklyn Tabernacle, which two months ago amounted to \$110,000, has been liquidated, and the Doctor has withdrawn his threatened resignation, and will continue as its pastor.

The commissioners to the Presbyterian General Assembly were received by President and Mrs. Cleveland at the White House. Moderator Craig made an address, and the President welcomed the commissioners in a short speech.

Washington society has been agitated by the question whether President Cleveland showed proper courtesy in failing to return the call of the Princess Eulalie. The Princess has declared herself thoroughly satisfied and delighted with her reception.

Wind storms prevailed throughout the west Tuesday night, in some localities developing into destructive tornadoes. Many buildings were unroofed, trees blown down and crops destroyed. Telegraphic companies reported a general prostration of wires west of Cleveland and in the vicinity of Louisville, Ky.

While Mr. Gladstone was traveling from London to Chester a heavy missile was thrown at his compartments as the train approached Williden. The missile struck the windows of the next compartment, which was occupied by the Dean of Chester. It smashed the glass and struck the cushion a few inches from the Dean's head.

The 105th annual session of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States convened in Washington, D. C., on Thursday, the 18th inst. Rev. Willis G. Craig, D. D., of the Chicago University, was chosen Moderator. Owing to the importance of a number of subjects to be considered, among them the Briggs case, the session will probably continue this entire week.

The Infanta Eulalie, aunt to the young King of Spain, and suite, arrived in Washington, where they were met on behalf of the President by Secretary Gresham. The party at once proceeded to the Arlington, with an escort of cavalry, and on Saturday the Princess called upon the President and Mrs. Cleveland. The royal party will remain several days at the National Capital, when they will go to New York for a few days and thence to the World's Fair at Chicago.

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